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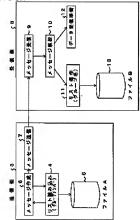
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#### Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To attain a remote broadcast data communication to a plurality of computers serving as the radio terminals by transmitting the message data from a transmitting computer to a receiving computer. SOLUTION: A transmitting computer 3 stores an IP address list of a receiving computer 8 as a file A S. A message production part 6 reads the file A S via a list reading part 4 to produce a read message and transmits it via a message transmitting part 7. A message analyzing part 10 of the computer 8 analyzes the message which is received at a message receiving part 9 and notifies a list operating part 11 of the participating in and the seceding from a broadcast data communication group. The preparation set for the broadcast data communication is notified to a data reception preparing part 12. Then the reception is prepared for the data if the group name the received message is matched with a group name that is stored in a file B 13.



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#### (57) Abstract

SUBJECT An object of this invention in order to make multiple address data communications possible from remoteness to two or more computers which are unmanned terminals is to control execution of a group's formation, disappearance, and multiple address data communications.

Means for SolutionData was transmitted from one certain computer, and in order to make a computer without a help perform simultaneous transmissive communication, it enabled it to control any one of directions in which a group is made to form, directions made to secede from a group, and the directions to which simultaneous transmissive communication is made to carry out.

#### Claim(s)

Claim 1In communication between computers connected to a network which can communicate

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mutually among two or more computers, In making simultaneous transmissive communication which receives data simultaneously by two or more computers which transmit data from one certain computer and do not have operation by helps other than said computer perform, In order to operate intervention to a group by receiving computer, what made a sequence an identifier of two or more receiving computers in which a group is made to form, and a group name are transmitted from a transmitting computer as one message, When an identifier of a receiving computer corresponds in a sequence of an identifier of a receiving computer in this message in all the receiving computers which received this message, A correspondence procedure which controls a simultaneous transmissive communication group, wherein it stores said group name in this message as an identifier at the time of simultaneous transmissive communication and a receiving computer uses the identifier concerned in future simultaneous transmissive communication.

Claim 2In communication between computers connected to a network which can communicate mutually among two or more computers, In making simultaneous transmissive communication which receives data simultaneously by two or more computers which transmit data from one certain computer and do not have operation by helps other than said computer perform, In order to operate secession from a group by receiving computer, In all the receiving computers which transmitted what was made into a sequence of an identifier of two or more receiving computers which secedes from a group, and a group name from a transmitting computer as one message, and received this message, When an identifier of a receiving computer corresponds in a sequence of an identifier of a receiving computer in this message, A correspondence procedure which controls a simultaneous transmissive communication group, wherein it cancels said stored group name and a receiving computer uses the identifier concerned in future simultaneous transmissive communication.

Claim 3In communication between computers connected to a network which can communicate mutually among two or more computers, When simultaneous transmissive communication which receives data simultaneously by two or more computers which transmit data from one certain computer and do not have operation by helps other than said computer is performed, In order to operate preparation of simultaneous transmissive communication by receiving computer, a group name as an identifier of a group who performs simultaneous transmissive communication is transmitted from a transmitting computer as one message, A correspondence procedure which controls a simultaneous transmissive communication group having compared a group name in this message with a group name stored in a receiving computer, and performing simultaneous transmissive communication in all the receiving computers which received this message when the

Claim 4In a recording medium in communication between computers connected to a network which can communicate mutually among two or more computers, In making simultaneous transmissive communication which receives data simultaneously by two or more computers which transmit data from one certain computer and do not have operation by helps other than said computer perform, In order to operate intervention to a group by receiving computer, what made a sequence an identifier of two or more receiving computers in which a group is made to form, and a group name are transmitted from a transmitting computer as one message, When an identifier of a receiving computer computer in this message in all the receiving computers which received this message, Said group name in this message is stored as an identifier at the time of simultaneous transmissive communication, A recording medium which recorded a program which described a correspondence procedure which controls a simultaneous transmissive communication group, wherein a receiving computer described and records a method which used the identifier concerned in future simultaneous transmissive communication in a form of a program.

Claim 5In a recording medium in communication between computers connected to a network which can communicate mutually among two or more computers, In making simultaneous transmissive communication which receives data simultaneously by two or more computers which transmit data from one certain computer and do not have operation by helps other than said computer perform, In order to operate secession from a group by receiving computer, In all the receiving computers which transmitted what was made into a sequence of an identifier of two or more receiving computers which secedes from a group, and a group name from a transmitting computer as one message, and received this message, When an identifier of a receiving computer

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# Detailed Description of the Invention 0001

Field of the InventionThis invention relates to the recording medium which recorded the program which described the correspondence procedure which controls a simultaneous transmissive communication group about the simultaneous transmissive communication between the computers connected to the network which can communicate mutually among two or more computers, and the correspondence procedure concerned.

#### 0002

Description of the Prior ArtIn the computer network in which IP (Internet Protocol) communication is possible mutually among two or more computers, The simultaneous transmissive communication which carries out data transmission from one computer simultaneously to other two or more computers in the IP multicast communication defined by RFC(Request for comments) 1112 is possible. In the simultaneous transmissive communication concerned, it communicates by forming a group.

**0003**There is MBone as a global experiment network of an IP multicast. In MBone, a sending person forms arbitrary groups and an addressee joins it. An addressee chooses the group of hope for plurality **sending person**. Operation of the addressee in this case is operation by human being using a tool.

**0004**In the automated unmanned terminal, since there is no operation to an unmanned terminal, operation through a help cannot be performed. **0005** 

# Problem(s) to be Solved by the InventionAt simultaneous transmissive communication like IP multicast communication, although the multiple address data communications to two or more computers are possible, operation of the receiving computer for it needs operation by a help, and cannot perform operation for performing multiple address data communications by computer used as an unmanned terminal. For this reason, multiple address data communications cannot be

0006In order that this invention might be made in view of the above and may make multiple address data communications possible from remoteness to two or more computers which are unmanned terminals, It aims at controlling execution of a group's formation, disappearance, and multiple address data communications, especially performing said control to two or more receiving computers from a transmitting computer, and performing transmitting computer initiative type multiple address data communications.

#### 0007

Means for Solving the ProblemIn order to attain the above-mentioned purpose, message data which directs operation is transmitted to a receiving computer from a transmitting computer, and suppose that a receiving computer is controlled by this data. PatentOrder MT Page 5 of 10

**0080** peration by receiving computer which received said data is three of preparations of intervention to a group, secession from a group, and multiple address data communications. **0009**Drawing 1 shows an example of message data to operation of a receiving computer. An action code is an identification code of a message to operation by receiving computer. The identifier 1 - the identifier an er identifiers which identify a receiving computer uniquely. A group name is a name to a simultaneous transmissive communication group.

00.101 a correspondence procedure which controls a simultaneous transmissive communication group of this invention, message data which directs operation of a receiving computer by transmitting computer is created, and it transmits to a receiving computer from a transmitting computer. By receiving computer, operation according to this data is performed after receiving this data. Operation required of a receiving computer is three of preparations of intervention to a group, secession from a group, and multiple address data communications, and equips a function corresponding to three aforementioned operations for a creation function of message data to each operation by receiving computer in a transmitting computer.

**0011**A means in a receiving computer to said three operations becomes the following.

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- (2) An identifier of a receiving computer is compared with two or more identifiers in message data after message data reception of secession from a group, and if an identifier applicable in an identifier sequence in message data exists, a stored group name will be canceled.
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#### 0012

**Embodiment of the Invention**Hereafter, the example of this invention is described using a drawing.

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**00.14**In the message data shown in drawing 1, when an action code is set to "8", it will point to "intervention to a group." What is shown in drawing 4 shows each identifier shown in drawing 1 more to details.

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#### **Brief Description of the Drawings**

Drawing 1The example of message data is shown.

**Drawing 2**The example of the network in which simultaneous transmissive communication is possible is shown.

Drawing 3The example of an action code is shown.

Drawing 4The details of message data composition are shown.

Drawing 5Functional constitution is shown.

# **Description of Notations**

- 1: Receiving computer
- 2: Network
- 3: Transmitting side computer
- 4: List reading part
- 5: File A
- 6: Message creating part
- 7: Message transmission part
- 8: Receiving side computer

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